

# ALLIES MEET STUBBORN RESISTANCE IN NORMANDY AS RUSSIANS DRIVE AHEAD

## RED ARMY TROOPS CONTINUE UNCHECKED EAST PRUSSIA DRIVE

### GRODNO FORTRESS, LAST BARRIER BEFORE GERMAN HOMELAND, FALLS

**By HENRY P. CASSIDY**  
MOSCOW, July 17.—(AP)—Red army troops pushed forward today along a broad front stretching from the Baltics to the Pripyat marshes after capturing the German-held fortress city of Grodno, described by Premier Stalin as "covering the approach to East Prussia."

Grodno, which the Germans announced earlier they had evacuated, is only 45 miles from the east Prussian border. With its fall the Germans have no natural barrier between them and their homeland, to which it appeared the fighting soon would be carried.

(The German radio said today that Russian troops were advancing both north and south of fallen Grodno in the direction of east Prussia.)

(Soviet forces which burst across the Niemen river south of the Old Polish Bastion City turned northwest and the Germans threw in reserves, the account said.)

"A heavy battle against advancing Soviet units north of Grodno is in full swing," the report added.

## PAW Needs For Texas Oil Set At 2,237,000 Barrels

AUSTIN, July 17.—(AP)—The petroleum administration for war today certified to a need for daily production of 2,237,000 barrels of petroleum liquids, including 2,090,000 barrels of crude oil, by Texas in August.

## CORSICANA SUN AND LIGHT TO TABULATE ELECTION RESULTS

### STATION KAND WILL BROADCAST RETURNS AS FAST AS RECEIVED

Everything is ready for the Saturday night election party. All election judges in Navarro county have been requested to telephone (collect) to the Daily Sun Saturday night the returns from their boxes.

This newspaper will compile and tabulate the election returns from the 48 precincts of Navarro county on election night. Without each precinct chairman phoning in his returns after the results are ascertained, this will be impossible. P. M. Gladney, Navarro County Democratic executive committee chairman, has announced each chairman is to phone (collect) to the Daily Sun as soon as possible after the polls close.

## LIEUT. COL. GARNER, VETERAN TWO WARS, IS HOME ON LEAVE

### TOOK PART MANY MAJOR BATTLES IN ITALY, LANDING AT SALERNO

Decorated with the Silver Star for his conduct during the Salerno beachhead fighting in Italy, Lt. Col. John J. Garner, veteran of two wars, arrived home Saturday on a 21-day leave. He will report to Fort Sam Houston for reassignment at the close of his leave.

When Col. Garner reports to Fort Sam Houston, he will terminate nearly a quarter of a century service with the famous Third Sixty division, and will be reassigned to another.

Assistant Postmaster.

The Corsicana officer was assistant and Corsicana postmaster at the time the Navarro county artillery units were mobilized and federalized in November, 1940. After training with the division at the various camps in the United States Col. Garner went to Africa with the division and later the famous Third Sixty was the first American troops to land in Italy at Salerno in the summer of 1943. The fighting of the entire campaign ensued. Col. Garner left Corsicana and the States at the command of the 133rd Field Artillery, but has been with the Division artillery headquarters since November, 1943.

The officer stated Monday morning that he had been with the Third Sixty division since August 12, 1920.

## AMERICAN TROOPS SMASHING FORWARD ON ITALIAN FRONT

### NEARING LIVORNO GERMAN RESISTANCE CONTINUED STRONG MONDAY

**By NOLAN NORGARD**  
ROME, July 17.—(AP)—Allied troops stormed today across the Arno river which flows through Florence, putting behind them a considerable barrier before the German Gothic line across Italy.

The Arno is a natural moat 400 feet wide at places and was believed to have been fortified on the north bank during the German retreat from Rome. It flows in deep gorges north of San Gimignano, Arezzo, Florence, and Pisa where it meets the sea.

An official source said the swift advance of tanks and infantry from Arezzo surprised the enemy, that the British captured a bridge intact, along with German engineers who were waiting to destroy it.

South African armored troops and British guardsmen made another advance of several thousand yards in another sector.

## CHARLIE L. DORTON HAS BEEN PROMOTED TO RANK SERGEANT

WITH THE 37TH ARMY DIVISION, on Bougainville, Island—A Tennessee-born, 28-year-old sergeant, Charlie L. Dorton, has been promoted to the rank of sergeant in the 37th Infantry Division, first army unit to attack Bougainville. He started his tour of foreign service in May, 1943 and was stationed on the New Hebrides and Guadalcanal before coming to this key stronghold.

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## TEXAS DEMOCRATIC DELEGATES LEAVE FOR CHICAGO MONDAY

### RIVAL AND IRRECONCILABLE TEXANS MAY CAUSE BIG FLOOR SCRAP

**By DAVE CHEAVENS**  
AUSTIN, Tex., July 17.—(AP)—Texas' two rival and apparently irreconcilable sets of delegates to the Democratic National Convention enroute for Chicago today, ready to carry their battle for credentials to the floor if necessary.

Delegates from both the pro-Roosevelt Rump convention and the regularly-constituted convention, armed with office of defense transportation certificates, bought tickets entitling them to travel in special cars. It was likely that they would ride the same section of the Missouri Pacific's northbound Sunshine Special when it is consolidated into today at Longview.

Extra cars from San Antonio, Austin, Fort Worth, Dallas and Houston were carrying members of the delegations, whose leaders were already on hand in Chicago for the first blows in the fight over which would be recognized as official.

The ODT issued certificates necessary because special equipment had to be called in to accommodate the extra passenger load—to both factions alike. All a delegate or alternate needed was the nod from the secretary of his group.

Moody Defends Action

Chairman Dan Moody of the regular delegation gave his party a send-off with a statement defining the action of the state convention as only conditionally binding its electors to vote for the National session's nominees. The former

## GERMAN NORMANDY FRONT OBJECTIVES BLASTED BY HEAVIES

### CLEAR SKIES GIVE ALLIED AIR FORCE CHANCE AT HEAVY ACTIONS

LONDON, July 17.—(AP)—Up to 750 heavy bombers leading a dozen river bridges leading to the Normandy front, the Belfort railroad yards in eastern France and a flying bomb supply dump near Rheims today in one of the largest scale support attacks by four-engine aircraft during the invasion.

Up to 500 fighters escorted the four-engine bombers, flying Fortresses and Liberators.

Radio Berlin said the Reich itself was under attack for the fifth time in a week. It was one of the rare days since invasion that clear skies had permitted full use of overpowering Allied air power.

Belfort is near Switzerland and 261 miles southeast of Paris. Rheims is 165 miles northeast of the capital and closest to the Calais coast where the robot platforms hurl buzz bombs at London.

Night Activities

The daylight thrusts were preceded by a two-pronged night assault upon the coast, which included strong force of Britain-based RAF Mosquitos blasted a German synthetic oil plant at Homberg, in the Ruhr, while Italy-based heavy bombers attacked an oil refinery at Smederovo near Belgrade, Yugoslavia.

The Mosquito attack on the Ruhr was carried out without loss of a single plane. Allied headquarters in Italy announced loss of 20 planes in sweeping operations which included a medium bomber attack yesterday on military targets in the Vienna area, raids on objectives in Yugoslavia and southern France and assaults upon German communications in Italy, in addition to the Belgrade mission.

Enemy losses in the Mediterranean.

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## HEAVY INTENSIFICATION OF WAR IN EUROPE MAY BE EXPECTED IN ORDER TO BEAT AUTUMNAL RAINS

**By DEWITT MACKENZIE**  
Associated Press War Analyst  
Heavy intensification of the war in the European theater may be expected from now on since there are only about three months left of the prime fighting weather left to the Allies before the autumn rains come to the aid of the Hitlerites, and on that basis the possibility of an early knock-out of Germany depends on what happens in the next dozen weeks or so.

A sign of Allied determination to make hay while the sun shines is seen in today's report of General Montgomery's attack in the Caen sector to secure a more favorable position for a major offensive. In other words the big battle for which he has been waiting seems to be boiling up at long last. This decisive engagement must be fought and won by the Allies before they can break out of the Peninsula into the wide open spaces which will give access to Paris and Berlin.

The fresh battle at Caen, which is a preliminary to the all-out drive, is of great importance.

Once Montgomery has maneuvered his forces into a favorable position he will launch his big offensive. If he had opponent of the African desert, Nazi Field Marshal Rommel, doesn't open the attack first.

The coming battle of Normandy will be a bloody affair because of its vast importance. Upon it depends whether the Allied invasion will be stalled, thereby giving Hitler a new lease of life, or whether we shall break through to the Hitherland quickly. Hitler's hope is slim, now that the Allies are well established on the Peninsula, but he is bound to fling everything he can into this decisive engagement.

## BRITISH SECOND ARMY TROOPS BATTER OUT HEAVY BATTLE GAINS

### HUGE RUSSIAN OFFENSIVE ROLLS FORWARD AFTER CAPTURE GRODNO

**By ALTON L. BLAKESLEE**  
Associated Press War Editor.  
British Second Army troops, striking forward on a nine-mile front Southwest of Caen, beat the Germans back in heavy fighting under a hot Normandy sun today, and pounded into the outskirts of Evreux, fiercely-defended key to high ground between the Odon and Orne rivers.

As the British widened their Odon river salient in a preparatory move for a major offensive to blast the deadlock around Caen American patrols penetrated into the middle hush road hub of St. Lo, finding it heavily held. Other patrols had already entered the western coastal anchor town of Sessay, and doughboys closed on the German road line from Lessay to St. Lo.

The British won the eastern half of the village of Noyers, captured Vendeux to the north, thus adding a fifth town into the bag taken since Saturday night, and won a crucial piece of the strategic edge of Evreux, nine miles southwest of Caen. Another British column bypassed Evreux, advancing a half-mile southeast of the town.

Three-Way Air War.

The Russians kept up their hammer offensive on the approaches to East Prussia, and the air war erupted a three-way phase. Up to 750 U. S. heavy bombers struck river bridges feeding the Normandy front, railroads and a flying supply dump in France. Bombers from Italy attacked bridges and a railway in Southern France, and Russian fighters raided industrial targets in East Prussia.

The huge Russian offensive, counting more than 500,000 Germans annihilated since June 28, broke through the German line before the pre-war East Prussian border 45 miles away, and hammered to within 10 miles of Kaunas, old Lithuanian capital, and the Russian column neared the Latvian border.

Russians Nearest Berlin.

Soviet drives were pounding toward the bastions of Brest Litovsk and Bialystok. Marshal Stalin's troops were within 435 miles of Berlin, closest approach of any of the three concerted land fronts so strenuously draining German men and material. The newspaper Izvestia declared the Russian

## Heart Attack Is Fatal Joe Slater Monday Morning

### BLOOMING GROVE, July 17.—(AP)—Joe Slater, age 70 years, died suddenly Monday morning while visiting his brother, Reese Slater, in the Brushie Prairie community. Funeral services are pending.

## JAPANESE NAVAL MINISTER RESIGNS TOKYO ANNOUNCES

### TOKYO RADIO DECLARES "WAR SITUATION DOESN'T ALLOW ANY OPTIMISM"

**By J. B. KRUEGER**  
Associated Press War Editor.  
Adm. Shigetaro Shimada has resigned Japan's navy minister. Tokyo announced today, giving a hint of the stresses at play in the Japanese government since American conquest of Salpan.

Shimada, navy minister since November, 1941—a month before Pearl Harbor—gave way to resign, a long-known fact. Naokuni Nomura, who comes into a Tojo Cabinet facing an unrelenting, 12-day U. S. fleet attack on Guam and setbacks on every other war front save China.

The unprecedented warship and plane pounding of Guam, second only to Salpan as a Mariana island base, elicited from Tokyo radio frank admission that "the war situation does not allow a moment of optimism."

Adm. Chester W. Nimitz announced yesterday that fleet-based bombers thumped rockets and bombs into Guam's railway facilities Saturday, 12th consecutive day the U. S. pre-war outpost has been under attack.

## Danger To Atlantic Coast By Tropical Storm Has Passed

### WILMINGTON, N. C., July 17.—(AP)—All along windings were lowered along North Carolina and Virginia coasts today as a tropical storm, probably of hurricane intensity, that had hovered about 250 miles in the Atlantic began rapid movement to the northeast.

## THE ROAD TO BERLIN

Mileages on the routes which the Allied armies are travelling to Berlin now read:

(1) Russian front—435 miles from a point near Grodno.

(2) Italian front—about 607 miles (from near Ancona on the Adriatic coast).

(3) Normandy front—635 miles (from Caen).

## SIDNEY R. FLEISHER, NEWCOMER, TOPS BIG SALARIED PEOPLE

### MOVING PICTURE NEGOTIATOR OF NEW YORK DRAWS DOWN \$645,000

WASHINGTON, July 17.—(AP)—A newcomer, Sidney R. Fleisher, took first place today with \$645,000 in the first edition of the treasury's 1942 list of corporation compensation to individuals for personal services.

The report, which does not list income from capital or investments, includes individuals who received \$75,000 or more from corporations for personal services for the calendar year 1942 or corporation fiscal years ending in 1943. It is in compliance with the internal revenue code, the report lists gross receipts in salaries, commissions, bonuses or other compensation, before the payment of federal and state income taxes, which reduce materially the next amount received.

Fleisher, in New York described himself as a moving picture negotiator for the Dramatist Guild, selling screen rights for plays. The \$645,000 was listed by the treasury as having been paid him by Twentieth Century-Fox Film Corporation. He replaces, at least temporarily, Movie Magnate L. B. Mayer, at the head of the list.

Mayer, who topped last year's list with \$949,785.54 in salary and

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## FORMER NAVARRO COUNTY WOMAN DIED IN ROCK HILL, S. C.

Mrs. Charles Adams, age 65 years, died at her home in Rock Hill, S. C. Friday night, according to word received by her brother, J. L. Jackson, here. Funeral services will be held there Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. J. C. Bag and Mrs. Richard Tucker, both of Rock Hill; three brothers, J. L. Jackson, Corsicana; N. S. Jackson, Angus; R. O. Jackson, Augusta, Kans.; a sister, Mrs. Ida Adams, Lancaster, N. C., and other relatives.

## FORMER CORSICANAN COMMISSIONED IN U.S. ARMY AIR FORCES

William L. Rogers, Cleburne, graduated from the Victorville Army Air Field, Victorville, Calif., July 7, according to word received by his grandmother, Mrs. Fannie M. Nelson of Corsicana. Lt. Rogers received his wings and commission and is now assigned to the air battles being fought in all parts of the world. Col. Earl C. Robbins, commanding officer of the field stated at the graduation ceremonies.

Rogers is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Cread Rogers, Cleburne. He resided in Corsicana and in the Mildred community before going to Cleburne. He attended Mildred High school but graduated from Cleburne High.

## GOING TO MEET FLIER HUSBAND ON HIS RETURN HOME

Mrs. Joy Campbell of Frost was in Corsicana Saturday afternoon on her way to Houston to meet her husband, Lt. Bob Campbell, who has just returned to the United States from several months in the China-Burma-India war theater, where he was pilot of a P-38 fighter plane.

Lt. Campbell expects to visit in Corsicana and Frost for some time before reporting for reassignment. He was reported missing in action twice while in the China sector but succeeded in returning to his base each time.

## Rites On Wednesday For Mrs. Hardiman, Who Died at Kerens

KERENS, July 15.—(Sp.)—Funeral services for Mrs. A. Miller Hardiman were held Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock on the lawn of the home of her brother, Ben R. Miller with Rev. J. W. Owsley in charge of the services and special music given by Mr. and Mrs. Jack Anderson, Mrs. Chas. Reese and Mrs. R. H. Logan.

Mrs. Hardiman was born March 9, 1874 in Hardin county, Kentucky, and came to Kerens with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Miller, when a young girl and lived here until her marriage to Victor Hardiman, after which the couple lived in Junction, Texas, until Mr. Hardiman's death in 1938.

For the last seven years Mrs. Hardiman has made her home in Kerens with her sister, Mrs. Mae Estes, where she died July 11. She was a member of the Presbyterian church.

Survivors are two sisters, Mrs. Mae Ester, Kerens, Mrs. Jim Garrison, Hondo, Texas; three brothers, Ben Miller, Kerens, Ed Miller of Grapevine and Will Miller of Eldorado, Ark.

Hand Cut By Fan  
FAIRFIELD, July 15.—(Sp.)—J. Tate, bookkeeper for Parker Motor Co., received painful injuries Thursday afternoon while adjusting a large fan. His right hand was struck by the blade and several of his fingers were badly cut, the little finger being almost severed.

## To Citizens Of Precinct 1.

Because of war-time restrictions, I have been unable to see everyone in Precinct 1, but want to solicit your influence and vote in the approaching primary to be your commissioner.

I have resided in this precinct all my life and have never asked for a public office. If elected, will devote my entire time to the county's business as I will not have any other affairs to occupy my time due to my several years experience as a county road employee. I feel that I am qualified to see that you get your money's worth in road work as well as a business-like and economical administration in all county affairs.

GENE HIGINOTE  
(Paid Pol. Adv.)

Run a Daily Sun Want Ad for Quick Results.

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We have joined our welding and radiator departments together and would appreciate doing your work.

We have a portable welding unit and can go anywhere in the county.

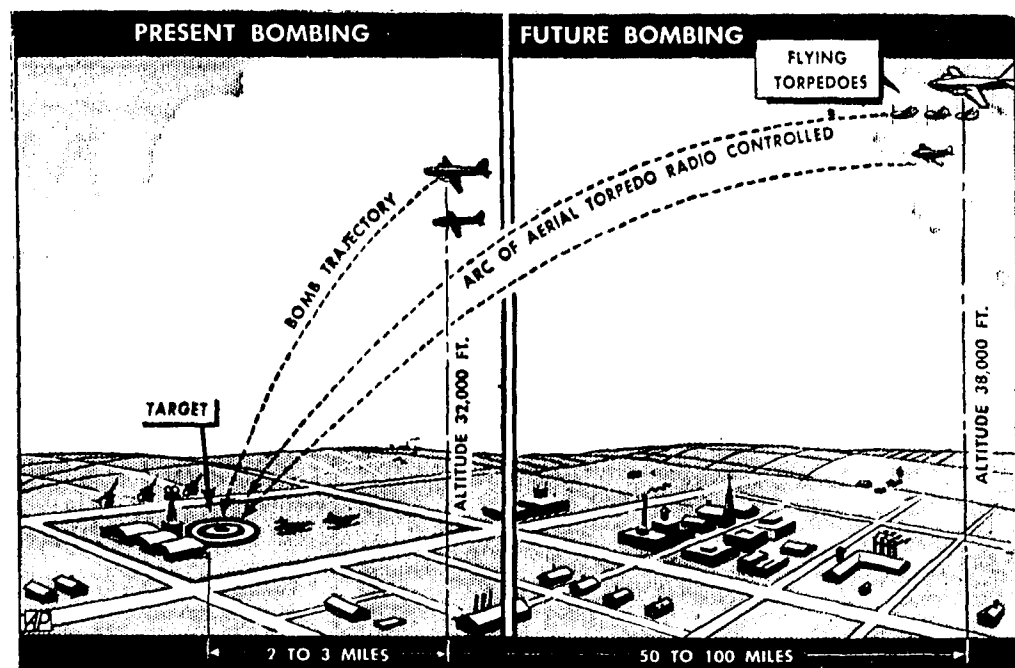
If you are having trouble with your car radiator bring it here, our Mr. Watts is an experienced radiator man.

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# RADIO ROBOT PLANES

Does America Have Topper For Nazi "Buzz Bomb"?



BULL'S EYE—New bombing technique described in "Aircraft Armament," by Louis Bruchiss.

By WARREN H. BENNETT  
Associated Press Features Writer

The German radio reported that American planes have released "winged bombs" in the shape of small gliders in attacks on Cologne and Hamburg during recent weeks. American Air Force headquarters declined comment on the German broadcasts.

Self-propelled aerial torpedoes, however, are neither new nor secret. American inventors developed them during World War I and patents were issued to Charles F. Kettering of the General Motors Research Corp. and Lawrence Kurt Sperry of the Sperry Gyroscope Co.

Radio-controlled "robot" planes directed right to the target by huge mother aircraft which could remain 50 to 100 miles away, out of the range of anti-aircraft fire, are described by Louis Bruchiss, armament engineer in a new book, "Aircraft Armament," to be published by Aerospere, Inc., New York, in September. Bruchiss says, could have folding wings for storage, small, cheap engines, small fuel tanks, a gyro-pilot and robot mechanism controlled by radio.

The pay load could be either explosive or smoke screen gas, set off by radio. Because of their accuracy, they probably could have a greater military value than the Nazi "pilotless planes" which, it is believed, cannot be controlled after launching.

Gen. H. H. Arnold head of the Army Air Forces, says, however, that accurate precision bombing from planes over the target out-weighs what the robots could do.

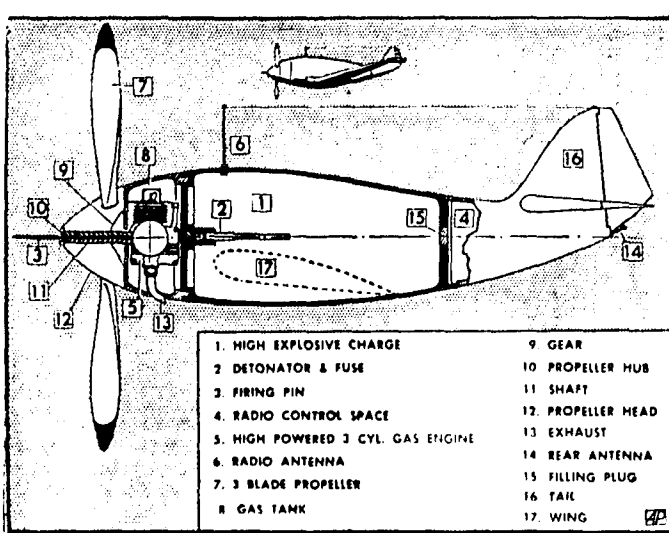
## Lieut. Varnell Is Recreation Officer Camp Claiborne, La.

CAMP CLAIBORNE, La., July 17.—(Sp.)—Newest member of Claiborne's special services office is First Lieut. John Roy Varnell, of Corsicana, Texas, assigned as athletic and recreation officer. A member of the track, football and baseball teams at Texas A. and M. in 1927, Lieutenant Varnell later coached those sports at Corsicana high school, from 1930 to 1934 and at Rosebud high school, from 1934 until he was commissioned second lieutenant in the army in 1942.

The lieutenant is a native of Corsicana, where his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Varnell, reside. He was athletic officer at Camp Claiborne, Texas, before being assigned here.

## Former Corsicanan Mother of Baby Boy

T-Sgt. and Mrs. W. C. Cooper, San Angelo, Texas, are the parents of a nine and a half pound boy born July 7, at the Shannon Memorial hospital, San Angelo. Mrs. Cooper is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Coffey, Corsicana. Sgt. Cooper is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cooper, Dallas, Texas, and is now stationed at Kearns, Utah.



CROSS-SECTION—Bruchiss' conception of a radio robot plane.

The crew of a mother ship, Bruchiss says, would lower the robot plane on a special hook through the fuselage and open and lock the wings, start the engine, check the radio controls and release it for free but controlled flight within the visual range of the radio-control operator.

Bomber Escorts. Carrying a load set off at will, the robot planes could be used as escorts, he directed into formations of enemy aircraft to prevent attack by smoke screen or to annihilate them by explosion. Since robot planes cannot be retrieved, he says they could be mass-produced of simple, cheap and non-durable materials. Small in size, carried one or two to a mother ship, they would present difficult targets to anti-aircraft gunners and enemy fighters.

While adaptable to protect shipping, Bruchiss says, they would be used primarily as a bomber-based flying bomb. Bruchiss is a member of the Institute of Aeronautical Sciences, Army Ordnance Association, the U. S. Naval Institute and the American Rocket Society.

## Information From Navarro County Rationing Board

Gasoline A Ration Book renewals will be on the same plan as buttonhole shrdlu shrdlu shrdlu in last year through mail registration at local boards, it was learned today from Chairman Wilbur Wright of the War Price and Ration Board for Navarro County.

The Chairman said "Form R-534 application must be completed by the applicant and mailed or delivered to the board, accompanied by the back cover of applicant's present A Book and current Tire Inspection Record to the applicant."

Wright said that distribution centers will make every effort to have supplies in the hands of boards by August 15th. He also stressed the need to inform the public that car owners must retain the cover of their present A Book when coupons are exhausted.

Ensign Kenneth Allison has arrived from Jacksonville, Fla., for a visit in the home of his mother, Mrs. A. A. Allison, en route to a new assignment.

## Sgt. Wm. H. Faughn Awarded Certificate Inorganic Chemistry

The latest issue of Flying Lines, Corsicana Field publication, contains an interesting article about Sgt. William H. Faughn, son of Mrs. A. E. Hightower.

The article says "Spare time in the army can be turned to profit, according to Sgt. William H. Faughn, of Corsicana Field. He has been using a few hours off-duty time each week studying through the U. S. Armed Forces Institute, an official school of the war and navy departments which offers correspondence courses in high school, college and vocational subjects for men and women in the military service.

"As a result of his study, he has completed a course in inorganic chemistry and has been awarded a certificate of proficiency by his commanding officer."

J. P. Thompson has returned from Alabama City, Ala., where he visited his sister, Mrs. Ed Adams, who has been ill. Her condition is still serious.

## E. L. CARLIDGE, RETIRED BUSINESS MAN MALAKOFF DIED

E. L. Carlidge, age 79 years, retired business man, died at his home in Malakoff Sunday. Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock from the Malakoff Baptist church. Burial was in the Malakoff cemetery.

Carlidge resided in Bazette when a young man.

Surviving are his wife of Malakoff, two grandchildren and a great-grandchild. He is an uncle of Rev. Jared I. Carlidge, pastor of the First Baptist church here.

## Two Food Handlers Fined Recently In Corporation Court

Two food handlers have been fined \$10 in corporation court in recent days and another is scheduled for trial Tuesday on charges of not complying with the city sanitary ordinances requiring permits, according to an announcement made today by Loredo Jail.

"This is in the middle of the summer, with the attendant danger of polio and other diseases," the sanitarian pointed out, "and we must do everything possible to safeguard the health of the community." she concluded.

A majority of the food handlers of the city have placed their fruits and vegetables in the city jail, to prevent disease carrying flies from contaminating them. It was stressed, and otherwise have carried out the various requirements for securing a permit.

Those against whom complaints have been lodged in corporation court, C. L. Knox, recorder, have been slow in complying with the requirements, the sanitarian said, and in some instances no effort has been made to get a permit until an inspection and visit is made. Each day and each act is a separate offense, Judge Knox stated in discussing the requirements of the sanitary code of the municipality.

## Rega E. Britton Was Buried Late Saturday Afternoon

Funeral services for Rega E. Britton, age 82 years, who died Friday morning at Rodney, were held Saturday afternoon at 5 o'clock from the Cory Chapel. Services were conducted by Revs. Tom Allmon and A. L. Meador. Burial was in the Hamilton cemetery.

Surviving are a son, a daughter and 18 grandchildren. 27 great grandchildren and other relatives.

## The J. W. Wilson Parents Baby Girl

A daughter, Elizabeth Dianne, was born Sunday, July 9, to Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wilson. The baby weighed seven pounds at birth in the Navarro Clinic. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stockey Gladewater, and Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Wilson, Corsicana.

## Announcement

I hereby make my announcement as candidate for the office of county treasurer of Navarro county. I am 44 years of age and have lived in Navarro county all of my life. This is the third time I have run for the office of treasurer and I trust that the voters will see fit to honor me with the office this time.

It may be that I won't get to see many of the voters and talk to them in person as I had the misfortune of falling three months ago, and breaking my hip. I was confined to the hospital six weeks.

There are not many jobs of physical labor that I can perform on account of the paralyzed condition of my entire right side caused from infantile paralysis since birth, therefore, I earnestly solicit your vote and influence in the coming primaries.

W. J. (Dink) BRYAN,  
(Paid Pol. Adv.)

## COMMANDING GENERAL OF 36TH INFANTRY (TEX.) DIVISION HIGH IN PRAISE OF MEN'S SUCCESS

The men of the 36th Infantry (Texas) Division, received high praise from their commanding officer, Major General Fred L. Walker, in a special citation issued in Italy June 16, 1944.

A copy of the document has been received by Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Jones, Corsicana, Route No. 3, from their son, Sgt. Rayford E. Jones, 27, U. S. Army, 36th Division.

Graduate Mildred High school and a football star, Sgt. Jones was a member of a local National Guard unit when mobilized and federalized in November, 1940. Overseas for a year and a half, he has been in all the major battles in which the famous 36th participated. Sgt. Jones also purchases a \$100 war bond every month and during the Fifth War Loan campaign he doubled the amount.

The complete text of the citation issued by General Walker follows:

"It is with great pride that I congratulate you on your magnificent achievements in battle to date.

First to Land. "Nine months ago you landed on the hostile beaches of Paestum, the vanguard of your country's army, to crash the gates of Hitler's European fortress. In that, your first action of the war, fighting courageously against well-trained enemy forces of long combat experience, you established the first American beachhead on the European Continent, the first to be established anywhere by Americans against German opposition.

"For this achievement alone, you have a right to feel justly proud.

Many Hardships. "Later on, while subject to hardships that have never been exceeded by any troops anywhere, you drove the enemy from his well-organized, stoutly defended positions in the hill masses of Camino and Summucro; from Mt. Maggiore, Mt. Lungo, Mt. Rotundo and San Pietro. You punished him severely. His losses in men and material were great. Throughout this period of bitter winter weather, under the most adverse conditions of climate and terrain, you maintained a cheerfulness and enthusiasm far superior to that of your enemy.

Gallant Effort. "Then came your gallant effort on the Rapido. Let us bow our heads in reverence to the fallen comrades who crossed that bitterly contested stream and put up a great, if losing, fight—as great from the standpoint of sheer gal-

## Fairfield Marine Wounded in Action

FAIRFIELD, July 15.—(Sp.)—Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Richards were notified by the war department Thursday that their son, Bobby Richards, had been wounded. No details or other information was given. Relatives here think that Bobby is in the Southwest Pacific, possibly at Saipan as he is in the Fourth Marine Division. They have not heard from him in over two months.



SGT. RAYFORD E. JONES

were ordered to attack again—at a critical time and at a critical place near Velletri, to break the stronghold of the enemy defense east of Rome. History will record forever your outstanding success. In a week of brilliant maneuvers and relentless assaults on one position after another, Velletri, Rocca di Papa, Marino and beyond, you killed and captured over three thousand of the enemy; routed him from his strong, well-organized positions and drove him across the Tiber in disorder.

"Your brilliant performance on that famous battlefield was a major contribution in the capture of the first European capital to be recovered from Nazi occupation. For your magnificent accomplishment here, General Marshall sent a personal message of congratulation to you and to me. The German army is still reeling from your blows. The relentless pressure of your attacks will substantially shorten the duration of the war. Your victorious march through the streets of the cities of your enemy cannot be long delayed."

Brilliant Performance. Mrs. Esther Cannon visited her daughter, Mrs. Ramon Kirgan in Fairfield last week.

## WRESTLING

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## CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to our friends and neighbors for their many kindnesses and expressions of sympathy in the great loss of our mother, grandmother and sister, Mrs. Minnie Gordon.

Sgt. and Mrs. Jesse B. Gordon, and daughter, Dolores; Capt. and Mrs. Hugo L. Gordon and son, Jimmy; Mrs. Dora Faughn; Mrs. Della Young; Mrs. Ida Philey; Mrs. Ellen Tramel, J. M. Cates and Lee Cates.

Mrs. J. W. Shuttlesworth and little son of Laredo are visiting Mrs. Shuttlesworth's mother-in-law, Mrs. W. C. Daniel.

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## JUNIOR CHAMBER OF COMMERCE ELECTED OFFICERS THURSDAY

Officers for the ensuing year were elected by the Corsicana Junior Chamber of Commerce Thursday night at the regular meeting of the organization. Embury S. Ferguson was named president, succeeding Robert Wheelock, Jr., who gave a resume of the activities engaged in during the past year.

Other officers were: W. B. Humphries, first vice president; Sneed Hamilton, second vice president; J. W. McCammon, secretary; H. D. Murphy, treasurer; Carl Ashworth, sergeant-at-arms; Robert Wheelock, Jr., Jack Thompson, J. C. Roe and Frank Kent, directors.

Among the activities of the past year outlined by the retiring president were participation in the Third, Fourth and Fifth War Loan Drives, selling \$14,050 in bonds from their booth in the Fifth campaign; contacting the employees of business institutions and the public schools during the Community Chest Drive and securing a substantial amount of money and many pledges; handling the soda water and cushion concessions at the recent Victory Horse Show, turning the proceeds back to the Blood Plasma fund, and sponsored the pig scramble at the Victory Horse Show and provided the prizes.

Another feature of the year's work was the idea of marking the city streets, a program that is nearing completion in cooperation with the City Commission. The retiring president was given a rising vote of thanks for his work during his tenure of office.

### A CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends for their kindness and sympathy shown us during the death of our father and grandfather. —Alva A. Britton, and family, Mrs. L. A. Bennett and family, Emmett Britton children.

### Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our appreciation for the lovely floral offerings, the nice dinner served and other expressions of kindness extended to us in the recent death of our father, husband and brother. —Lafond and David (children), Mrs. Emmett Britton, Lloyd Britton, A. Britton, Mrs. C. Wimmerly.

### Notice

In accordance with my physician's advice, due to my recent physical condition, I take this method of advising my friends of my withdrawal as a candidate for Navarro county Commissioner of Precinct No. 4. It is with great regret and reluctance that I am taking this measure, and I want my friends to know that I am indeed grateful to them for their solicitation, and many kindnesses shown to me in this yet unfinished race. —C. L. Tillman (Paid Pol. Adv.)

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## Pfc. Holley, USMC, Veteran Pacific Fighting Returns



OAKLAND, Calif., July 15.—(Spl)—Marine Private First Class Harold Rivers Holley (above) of route 5, Corsicana, Texas has been returned to the naval hospital here where he is convalescing from a tropical ailment contracted in the Pacific.

The Corsicana Leatherneck was among the Marines who wrested Roi Island from the Japs last February and told here how he and a buddy survived concentrated machine gun fire when they were pinned down by Japs in a hangar on the Roi airstrip.

Holley said he and his companion Marine Private First Class Sal L. Castro of San Leandro Calif., were caught in the hangar while Jap machine gunners "poured a hot fire into our shelter for about ten minutes. We hugged the dirt, however, and were not hit."

He added that "those were the longest ten minutes I ever spent. Machine gun bullets were kicking up dirt and splintering things right and left. Sal and I expected to get it any second but luck must have been with us."

When the firing subsided the two Marines scratched their way through the sand and crawled to safety.

Young Holley entered the Marine Corps in May, 1943, after graduating from Corsicana high school and attending the University of Texas for a year. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. U. R. Holley, live at Corsicana.

## Major Seton T. Holsey Home on Week's Leave

Major Seton T. Holsey, U. S. S. Army, Washington, D. C., is spending this week here with relatives. Under the Constitution of the State of Texas, the Comptroller's Department is the clearing house of the State's finances, and this necessitates a vast amount of accounting, auditing, filing and other clerical work. Upon the Comptroller is placed the responsibility of collecting the various revenues levied by the Legislators. In addition he collects all taxes on inheritance, gross receipts production on oil, sulphur, and gasoline. It is also his duty to enforce the statutes in the collection of the various occupation taxes such as the tax on Cigarettes, Bowling alleys, Insurance adjusters, Picture shows, Shooting galleries, etc.

### Card of Thanks

To the entire personnel of the Navarro Clinic from the doctors in the janitor: I would be glibly to this opportunity to express to all my sincere thanks and appreciation for the many deeds of kindness and for your most excellent and unexcelled courteous and efficient treatment extended to me while I was a patient in your institution. Words are inadequate for me to express to you how much I appreciated your many favors. You have an institution that not only all of you should be proud of, but the entire citizenship of Navarro county should congratulate themselves that they have an institution available to them that is equipped with practically everything that it takes to make a first class hospital. After being in the sunshine of your wonderful hospitality for 27 days and receiving your most excellent and unexcelled courteous and efficient treatment for your rare personal. I can very easily understand why the Navarro Clinic has the reputation of losing but very few patients when given a reasonable chance for treatment. You can rest assured that I will never hesitate to recommend the Navarro Clinic to anyone who needs hospital treatment.

With kindest regards and best wishes to your entire personnel, Very sincerely,

JAMES W. YANCEY.

Rev. Robert F. Bristol is attending the Young Peoples Conference at Valley Mills as a member of the faculty.

## EDGAR A. ELIOT DIED FRIDAY IN LOCAL HOSPITAL

Edgar Allison Eliot, age 78 years, died Friday morning at the P. and S. Hospital. Funeral services were held from the Grape Creek church Saturday afternoon at 5 o'clock and interment was in Grape Creek cemetery Rev. E. F. Bohmfall conducted the rites. He had been a resident of the Richland community for several years and was a prominent farmer. Surviving are his wife, Richard; three sons, George W. Eliot, Corsicana; Edgar Eliot, Richland; James R. Eliot, U. S. Army; two daughters, Mrs. W. A. Williams, Natchez, Miss.; Mrs. R. M. Lavender, Atlanta, Ga.; two sisters, Mrs. John Birge, Sherman; Mrs. Minnie McKelvey, Houston and other relatives. Corley Funeral Home directs the arrangements.

## Nazi Motor Vessels Bombed By Lt. Davis

The following concerning Lt. John Davis, along with a picture of the officer, appeared in a recent issue of the Washington, D. C. newspaper: Lt. John Davis, 22, of 4707 Connecticut avenue, N. W., bombed a cluster of 30 German motor vessels off the channel islands yesterday while returning from a fighter-bomber attack on Nazi communications in France, the Associated Press reported.

Son of Lt. Col. Charles J. Davis, who is on duty here in the personnel division of the service of supply, Lt. Davis graduated from West Point last year and subsequently underwent aviation training in California, Oklahoma and Louisiana. He was sent overseas last February.

His mother said last night her last letter from him was dated June 27, but that it contained no reference to his role in the war. Lieut. Davis was born in Corsicana, Texas.

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## Sheppard Seeks Re-Election On Office Record

George H. Sheppard, the present State Comptroller, who is seeking re-election at the Democratic primary on July 22, 1944 has made an enviable record as a public servant and is running for re-election on the basis of Service performed.

Under the Constitution of the State of Texas, the Comptroller's Department is the clearing house of the State's finances, and this necessitates a vast amount of accounting, auditing, filing and other clerical work. Upon the Comptroller is placed the responsibility of collecting the various revenues levied by the Legislators. In addition he collects all taxes on inheritance, gross receipts production on oil, sulphur, and gasoline. It is also his duty to enforce the statutes in the collection of the various occupation taxes such as the tax on Cigarettes, Bowling alleys, Insurance adjusters, Picture shows, Shooting galleries, etc.

Through the installation of proper bookkeeping systems under Mr. Sheppard's supervision, proper safeguards have been placed around the State funds. It has been a source of particular satisfaction to Mr. Sheppard to be able to collect millions of dollars annually through the several revenue statutes for the support of the public schools of Texas. Careful study and preparation of adequate enforcement measures and continued diligent efforts have been required.

Mr. Sheppard's office is staffed with faithful employees whose chief aim has always been to maintain the department on the highest standard of efficiency and accommodation.

The importance to the people in the selection of a State Comptroller is very great, and surely the record of George H. Sheppard in past performance and his honesty and efficiency in the administration of his duties should warrant his re-election.

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## Goings and Comings Of Fairfield Folk

FAIRFIELD, July 15.—(Spl)—Mr. and Mrs. Forest Wood were in Dallas Tuesday.

Mrs. J. F. Fryer and Miss Maud Egg were shopping in Corsicana Saturday.

Mrs. T. R. Donaldson and Mrs. Steward Whitaker have been visiting friends in Rosenberg.

Mrs. W. F. Tate and Gloria Payne were Palestine visitors Monday.

Donald McNew of Houston is visiting his mother Mrs. Mary Lou McNew.

Mr. and Mrs. Bradley Richardson spent the weekend with her sister in Waco.

Pvt. Wm. A. Speed of Camp Hood visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Speed, last weekend.

Travis Childs, Jr., of New York City, is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Childs.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Emmons and Claud and Darlene spent Sunday in Dallas.

Pvt. and Mrs. C. C. Collins, Mrs. Herbert Simpson, Mrs. George Brown and Pvt. Vince Cusick were Palestine visitors Saturday.

Mrs. W. H. McIlwain and grandson Jimmy are visiting Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Brown at Waco.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Willard of Irene visited relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Eubank Jr.,

## Of Dallas and son Raymond of Bryan visited Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Eubank, Sr., over the weekend.

Dr. and Mrs. L. L. Bonner spent several days of last week in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Jauren spent last week at Billville.

Mrs. Della Johnson is spending this week with friends and relatives in Teague.

Mrs. David Claridge and Maxine spent the weekend visiting in Waco.

Miss Mary Giles of Avalon spent the weekend with Joy Kirgan.

Mrs. Frank Aultman and son Buddy were Palestine visitors Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. E. L. Calame of Wortham spent Tuesday with her daughter, Mrs. Bryan Daniel.

Miss Eleanor Parker of Dallas visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Speed, last weekend.

W. A. Parke, during the weekend, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Willford of Austin visited their father E. E. Willford here last week.

Miss Joy Aultman of Huntsville spent the weekend here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Aultman.

To Leave for San Diego.

Pfc. Frank Powell, U. S. armed forces, wounded in Guadalcanal fighting against the Japs left Corsicana for San Diego, Calif., Sunday for re-assignment. He has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Powell, here.

## Personal Mention Of Kerens Folk

KERENS, July 15.—(Spl)—Mrs. J. W. Speed left Thursday for Newton, Kansas to accompany her sister-in-law, Mrs. L. C. Vernon and baby back to Kerens to make their home while Lt. L. C. Vernon is serving overseas in the armed forces.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Logan and daughter Jean Shelley of Galveston are visiting relatives in Kerens.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Barnett returned home Friday after a visit in Chandler with their son Brink Barnett and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Anderson are spending their vacation in Mineral Wells.

Misses Annie B. Ford and Ann Bain are attending the Baptist encampment at Ridgecrest, North Carolina.

Rev. and Mrs. Maggart Howell and children are spending their vacation in Duncan and Comanche, Okla.

Mrs. Raymond Baltzgar left Monday for her home in Orange after a visit in Kerens with her mother.

Alvin Jr. and Marlen McCluney of Fort Worth are visiting their grandparents, Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Blair.

Mrs. Fred Jennings and son Richard, Bobby Brister and Way-

## land Jennings of Kennedy are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Storie in Franklin, La., this week.

Mrs. Wade Price is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Harris in Buckholts.

Mrs. Oran Rulley of Houston is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Reed.

## The Charles Cravens Happy Parents of Son Born Thursday Morn

A son, Thomas Ray, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cravens, 401 South Thirtieth street, Thursday at 12:30 a. m. at the Navarro Clinic. The youngster tipped the scales at 7 pounds, 11 ounces. Mother and baby are doing nicely.

Named for his grandfathers, he is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Cravens and Mr. and Mrs. J. Keathley, all of Corsicana, and is the great-grandson of Mrs. D. F. Fields of Houston, a former resident of Navarro county.

Teacher Resigns.

M. S. Hammack, vocational agriculture teacher in the Blooming Grove schools the past five years, has resigned to accept a position with the Soil Conservation Department and has been assigned to work in Dallas county.

## Mrs. Van G. Elkins Leaves For Kansas To Join Husband

Mrs. Van G. Elkins left Friday for her new home in Dodge City, Kans., to join her husband, Lt. Elkins, who was recently transferred from Blackland Field, Waco, to the Army Flying Field at that point.

Mrs. Elkins, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Boyce Martin, will go by Hillsboro and pick up another Lieutenant's wife and baby, who will join her husband, who was transferred with Lt. Elkins.

As a farewell, Mr. and Mrs. Lowry Martin were host and hostess to Mrs. Elkins for a picnic supper in their back yard in Mills Place Thursday night. Others enjoying the picnic were Mr. and Mrs. Boyce Martin and Mrs. Howard Caldwell.

## Daughter Born To Soldier And Wife, Former Corsicanan

Staff Sgt. and Mrs. E. R. Morrison of Liberal, Kans., announce arrival of a daughter, Ann Duval, on July 12, weighing 8 pounds and 3 1/2 ounces.

Mrs. Morrison was the former Miss Annie Ruth Robinson, and the maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Robinson.

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## Short Time Before Election

Time is getting short before election on July 22nd, and there will only be a few more issues of the Daily Sun and Semi-Weekly Light for candidates to use in promoting their candidacy for office. There will only be five more issues of the Daily Sun and one more issue of the Semi-Weekly Light. THE LIGHT GOES TO PRESS THURSDAY NIGHT AND DELIVERED FRIDAY MORNING.

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**Edgar A. Guest****THE WIDER WAY.**

The way to pride and happiness is not a narrow lane. But one where two walk side by side in sunshine and the rain. And always it is wide enough for one or several more. And always it begins and ends at home's familiar door.

The way to life's enduring joys may be a little street. Where heart and mind of man and wife in common purpose meet. Where all that happens, good or ill, or weather foul or fair,

Is looked upon alike by both as meant for both to share. Some think the narrow one-way path is easier to fare. That less of grief and agony the single heart may bear. But who elects the selfish lane, and scorns the pathway wide. May some day wish he'd chosen roads for walking side by side.

The way to pride and happiness runs often deep through war. And heavy is the weight at times the load of two must know. But children race the wider lanes, and there are friendships true. With love at last to close the book when there's no more to do.

Germany is down and Russia is up. We shall probably be able to get along now with that strong young nation, immense in land and power and future possibilities. Our ideas of government differ, but Russian absolutism seems only a temporary phase.

**NATIONAL STRENGTH**

Our two wars that the democracies are waging against the destroyers are proceeding smoothly and powerfully. Viewed historically it is a familiar story.

Predatory war-makers arise, prepared by long planning and careful building up of their military resources, and strike at free nations grown rich and soft with peace. At first the assaults seem to succeed, overrunning large territories, levying tribute and fencing in the areas and natural resources that they expect to exploit. It may look for a time as if they are destined to overrun a land or a continent, or even the whole world.

But the Alexanders and Caesars and Hitlers never really succeed, in the long run. For their aggression arouses the free and fat nations to fight for their possessions. And that is the latter's salvation, materially and spiritually. For in the struggle to retain or regain the property and freedom and civilized way of life that they have developed, they toughen themselves and recover their original virtues, winning a new period of self-confidence and power.

That is, if they have not lost too much of their best qualities during the fat, careless and selfish years. For the nature of life and its benefits is struggle, and the individuals or nations that let themselves grow soft are in peril, even while they boast of their own security. Theodore Roosevelt preached this gospel powerfully a generation ago, but it was forgotten.

**GUNS OR BUTTER**

Ambassador Mergens of Norway has a formula for treatment of the Germans when they have been thoroughly beaten. "Let them have butter," he says, "but no guns."

Most Americans, as they feel at present, would not be very enthusiastic even about the butter, probably preferring to handle that factor as an incentive to good behavior in the future.

Remembrance of the physical cruelty and starvation inflicted by Nazi authorities on so many million people, apparently with the approval of the German nation, may make it hard for their victims to deal generously with them for many years. With nations as with individuals, "the evil that men do lives after them." And it will take, perhaps more than a generation for the evil they have done to be forgotten or forgiven.

"Then gently treat your brother man, and gentler, sister woman," said Robert Burns. But still more gently treat the disabled soldier.

**GETTING HIS NUMBER**

### Red Cross Mobile Unit Will Collect Blood in Corsicana

Corsicana and Navarro county residents will have an opportunity to send their blood to war on July 25 and 27, when the mobile unit of the American Red Cross Blood donor Service visits this community, according to announcement by Dr. William T. Shell, Jr., chairman of Blood Donor Service of the Navarro chapter.

Appealing for donors, Dr. Shell said that 322 persons must contribute blood during the unit's two-day visit, if the community is to supply its share of the millions of pints of blood requested by the army and navy to be produced into life-saving dried blood plasma.

Volunteer donors, he said, are requested to telephone their names to Miss Corinne McClure, whose number is 599, and make their appointments to donate blood. Donations are scheduled in advance to enable the unit to work with maximum efficiency.

To be set up in Methodist Educational Building.

The mobile unit will be set up in the first Methodist Educational building. After the blood is collected here, it will be shipped in refrigerated containers to a processing laboratory where the plasma will be extracted under direct army contract. From the laboratory, the dried plasma will be delivered to the army and navy, and distributed to American forces, wherever they may be.

Plasma, Dr. Shell explained, is the liquid part of the blood, remaining after the red and white corpuscles are removed. The nation-wide blood collection project was undertaken at the request of the army and navy by the American Red Cross. A total of 5,300,000 pints of blood has been requested to date.

More than 80,000 persons must contribute blood to the Red Cross each week to meet the requests already made by the army and navy, he added.

"This appeal," Dr. Shell declared, "gives every able-bodied resident of Navarro county a chance to help our men on the battlefields and at sea. Warships throughout the war zones carry dried plasma. Every army and naval unit carries blood plasma with it.

Lack of Blood Cost Lives. "In the first World War there was high mortality among the casualties. In many cases, this was because at critical moments there was not sufficient blood for life-saving transfusions. Confusion of conditions in the wake of battle are such that it is virtually impossible to obtain adequate quantities of whole fresh blood. Properly typed and ready for use.

### Family Reunion Is Feature Visit Home Of Capt. J. D. Gore

Capt. Joe D. Gore, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Gore, 913 West Seventh avenue, is spending a 21-day leave here with his parents. Capt. Gore has been in Iran with the 71st U. S. Army Engineering Division for the past 21 months. He flew from Iran for his visit and will report at New Orleans for reassignment at the conclusion of his leave.

Capt. Gore is a graduate of the Hubbard high school and prior to entering the services he was employed by the Southern Pacific railroad at Ennis.

A family reunion was held at the Gore home Monday in his honor. Three sisters, Mrs. James Glenn, Corsicana; Mrs. Cyril Wiggins, Waxahatchie, and Mrs. L. B. Griffin, Houston, were here for the family gathering. A niece, Mrs. Leighton Tuggle, daughter of Mrs. Griffin, Houston, was also present. Mrs. Tuggle has received word from the war department that her husband, Lieut. Tuggle, was a prisoner of war of the Germans. Lieut. Tuggle received his primary flight training at Corsicana Field.

### Red Cross Officials Express Appreciation For Hospital Aid

Mrs. John J. Garner, chairman of the Red Cross Camp and Council Service of Navarro county, has received a message from Thomas E. Thompson, acting Council secretary, American Red Cross, at Camp Hood expressing appreciation for the box of playing cards that have been assembled here by Mesdames Edna Brown, Hanley and Harry Kaufman and their friends for patients at McCloskey Hospital.

Mrs. Garner also received an expression of appreciation from the Red Cross field director at McCloskey Hospital, thanking members of the Business and Professional Women's Club, who sent 37 pounds of cotton jewelry to the hospital recently.

"Dried plasma," Dr. Shell said, has many advantages over whole blood. It keeps longer, requires no typing, is transported easily without refrigeration and is easier to use in transfusions. Production of dried plasma makes it possible to bring the transfusion to the patient under battle conditions where it would be impossible to give a direct whole blood transfusion.

Volunteer blood donors are literally "sending life itself to our boys," Dr. Shell said, concluding his appeal.

Mrs. L. M. Morton, who has been visiting her son, Pharmacists' Mate Third Class Leland Morton in Boston, Mass., is spending several days in New York City en route home.

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### GEORGE W. MARLOW OF BLOOMING GROVE BURIED AT DRESDEN

Funeral rites for George W. Marlow, age 71 years, who died Monday night at his home in Blooming Grove, were held at the Methodist church there at 8 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. Rev. W. S. Fisher and Rev. Mr. Gaddy conducted the services with burial in the Dresden cemetery.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. George W. Marlow, Blooming Grove; five sons, Marion E. Burks, Port Worth; Duthier Marlow, Lucetta; Willard Marlow, U. S. Army; Theo Marlow, Purdon; Gordon Marlow, Dallas; six daughters, Mrs. Grace Boykin, Dallas; Mrs. Lorene Williams, Dallas; Mrs. Lois Evans, Dallas; Mrs. Louise Henderson, Corsicana; Mrs. Esther Patterson, Dallas; Miss Lucille Marlow, Blooming Grove; five sisters, Mrs. Frank Hable, Della; Mrs. Ada Jones, Elkhart; Mrs. Willie Marlow, Palestine; Mrs. J. L. Parkham, Tennessee Colony; Mrs. A. Oden, Corsicana; two brothers, J. R. Marlow, Mt. Pleasant; Major H. W. Marlow, overseas, and 20 grandchildren.

Palbearers were Lee Puttman, Stuffy Puttman, Rex French, Drew Gillen and Ed Berry.

### Corsicana Woman Holding Important War Work Position

Mrs. Margaret Brenton, daughter of Mrs. J. R. Bailey and H. B. Williamson, Corsicana, has been given the most important job in the "vault" testing bombsights and automatic pilots, at the Consolidated Vultee Aircraft Corporation in Fort Worth, according to word received by her parents. Mrs. Brenton began her job in March, 1943, with the assembling of oxygen panels and after completing a course in aircraft instruments, was advanced to testing both the bombsight and the automatic pilot. The mother of a seven-year-old boy, Mrs. Brenton is known to her friends as "Shorty."

### Arrival Of Son Is Announced By Former Corsicana Resident

Lieut. and Mrs. Albert Wade Blackford, announce the arrival of a son, Albert Wade, Jr., in Colorado Springs, Colo., on July 10th.

The maternal grandparents of Albert Wade, Jr., are Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Wright, Mrs. Blackford having been the former Miss Virginia Wright of this city.

### Former Residents Of Corsicana Visited Here On Tuesday

Mrs. Andrew Steele of Grand Prairie and her nephew, Staff Sgt. Noel V. Crowther, who has been in the armed forces for the past 21 months, were in Corsicana on Wednesday to visit in the home of their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Will Mash.

Sgt. Crowther has been a member of the Sixth Airway Communications Squadron, stationed in Panama and Guatemala. He boarded a plane in Panama and arrived in Miami on July 5, and in Dallas on July 10, en route to Detroit, Mich., for re-assignment.

Mrs. Mash returned to Grand Prairie with Mrs. Steele and Sgt. Crowther on Wednesday afternoon for a short visit.

Clifford C. Hampton, yeoman second class, was a business visitor in Dallas on Friday.



### J. Floyd Smith Post Commander American Legion

Officers for the ensuing year were elected at the meeting of the Johnson-Wiggins Post No. 22, American Legion, Thursday evening. They will be formally installed September 14, according to W. H. (Bill) Smith, present post commander.

The new officers are J. Floyd Smith, cashier of the First National Bank, post commander; L. V. Majors, first vice commander; C. E. McWilliams, second vice commander; Henry Levy, finance officer; Rev. Robert F. Bristol, chaplain. Bill Smith will serve as adjutant until the new post commander appoints an adjutant, it was stated. The new commander will appoint his standing committees later in the year.

Mrs. Ralph Stell, Ensign Ralph Stell, Jr. and Miss Betty Stell were Dallas visitors on Friday.

**Notice**  
The annual Providence Memorial service has been postponed from July 20th to July 27th.

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WALTER HAYES.  
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## TEXAS DEMOS

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Governor said there was nothing arbitrary about the demands made upon the National convention by the Texas delegation, which holds unusual power because of the strategic position occupied by its 23 electors.

The pro-Roosevelt delegation is instructed to vote for President Roosevelt, and the regular delegates are instructed. The pro-Roosevelt electors are bound out-right to vote for the party's nominees.

Moody said that if the National convention fails to abide by the Texas demands, then the regularly-constituted convention's electors should declare how they intend to vote. Should this be against the party's nominees, he continued, then the names of electors pledged to vote for the party's nominees should also be printed on the November election ballot.

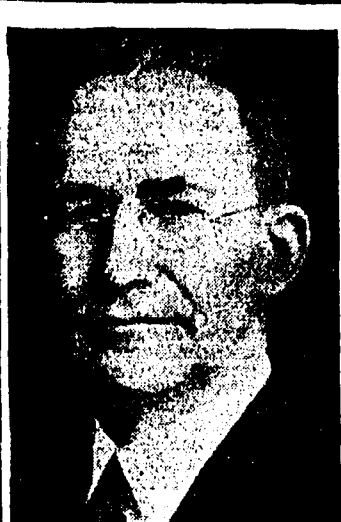
Electors Not Bound  
The regularly-constituted convention's electors are not bound to vote for the party nominees if the National convention fails to adopt platform planks critical of the Supreme Court's negro decision, if it fails to re-adopt the two-thirds rule, and if it seats the pro-Roosevelt delegation.

Moody said that requirements of the negro vote resolution "can be met by declaring only for well-recognized principles of constitutional law"; the demands of the two-thirds rule restoration by "re-adopting an ancient rule of the Democratic party"; and that if the National convention fails to recognize the state convention, then there is no reason why the electors should be bound to support the National convention's nominees.

## First Union Mission Revival Is Success Pastor Announces

His revival at the Mission has been a success throughout the past week. We desire the presence and cooperation of all, and the prayers of all Christians that we may have a real revival of Old Time Religion. Services will continue each evening at 8:30 o'clock at 108-12 North Commerce street.

REV. O. BERRYHILL, Pastor.



BISHOP BROOMFIELD

**BISHOP TO PREACH**—The Summer Revival at the Wortham Methodist church will begin Wednesday night, according to an announcement from the pastor, Rev. W. V. Bane.

Bishop John C. Broomfield (above) presided over the St. Louis Area of the Methodist church for the last five years will be the leader of the revival. Bishop Broomfield, a native of Scotland, has been in America since he was eighteen, and soon after coming to the United States he entered the ministry. He served only three churches during his ministry. He was pastor of First Church, Uniontown, Pa., Fourth Church, Pittsburgh, Pa., and for twenty-three years was pastor of the Methodist Protestant Temple Fairmont, West Virginia. The Bishop has served his church in many capacities other than pastor. He has served as Denominational Union of Christian Endeavor, was for a long time a member of the Board of Missions, and served for six years as the President of his Annual Conference. For eight years he served as president of the General Conference of the Methodist Protestant Church, and was active in the program for a United Methodism.

## Information From Navarro County Rationing Board

**CURRENT RECEIPT EGGS**—Maximum ceiling prices for current receipt eggs delivered through the week beginning July 17, 1944, are 34.3c per dozen and \$10.29 per ca. Current receipt eggs must have a net weight of not less than 43 pounds per case or an equivalent quantity of eggs, and no increase in price is permitted for current receipt eggs having a net weight of more than 53 pounds per case or an equivalent quantity of eggs. Current receipt or ungraded eggs will be raised one cent per dozen beginning July 24.

**PRICING OF EAR OR SNAPPED CORN**—When corn is sold other than shelled, the price per bushel is based upon the quantity of ear corn or snapped corn necessary to shell out a 56 pound bushel of shelled corn. The reason for calculating the maximum price for ear corn or snapped corn on this basis is that the formula prices established in the corn regulation are based on a 56 pound bushel of shelled corn. Consequently, when corn that is not shelled is sold, the weight of ear or snapped corn in bulk is not considered, as the price per bushel is determined upon how many 56 pound bushels of shelled corn are produced from the ear and snapped corn sold. This means that, as a general rule, in this part of the country it will take more than the customary 56 pounds of ear or snapped corn to make a 56 pound bushel of shelled corn. It is not a violation of the regulations to buy ear or snapped corn on a unit basis weighing more than 56 pounds. The regulation only established a minimum weight.

## COL. CURTIS KEEN, NAVARRO NATIVE, BACK FROM OVERSEAS

Col. Curtis A. Keen, U. S. Army, native of Navarro county, home after a time spent in North Africa, will become base commander of Hamilton Field, San Francisco, it was learned Monday. He is visiting his mother, Mrs. A. B. Keen, of Kerens and his brother, L. S. Keen of Corsicana.

Col. Keen was in the transport command of the air forces and was stationed in North Africa until he returned to Washington last week. He was a student in Southwestern University when World War I started and served in Italy in the air forces during that conflict.

Remaining in the reserve, Col. Keen was recalled to active duty about three years ago.

Col. Keen was awarded the Legion of Merit by General Harold L. George in Washington, D. C. last week for "Meritorious service in North Africa."

The high-ranking officer and his wife resided in Chicago before returning to the army. He was connected with the Griffith Laboratories in Chicago.

## DEMOCRATS

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der-in-chief and his No. 1 home front assistant.

They believed that publication today of a letter President Roosevelt has written to Senator Samuel Jackson of Indiana, the convention's permanent chairman, would crystallize delegate sentiment.

**Appeal for Wallace**  
Jackson has the letter but refused to discuss its contents pending formal release. However, one person who had seen it said it contained "a very strong personal appeal" in behalf of Wallace.

The letter was said to trace briefly the Roosevelt-Wallace association for the last 12 years, eight of which Wallace spent as secretary of agriculture and four as vice President, stating that if the President were a delegate he would vote for Wallace's renomination.

However—and it was on this point that other candidates planned high hopes—the President was reported to have said that because of wartime conditions, he did not feel that he should impose his will upon the convention, but should leave the matter for the delegates to decide.

On the other hand, there were some who said the effect on the delegates of Mr. Roosevelt's personal appeal for Wallace could not be discounted.

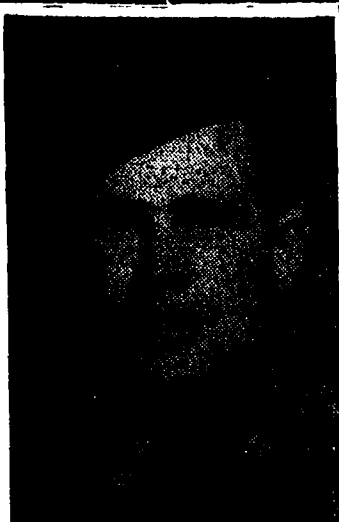
**Not Counting Wallace Out**  
Accordingly, they were not counting Wallace, who will arrive here Wednesday to help direct his own campaign.

Senator Joseph Guffey of Pennsylvania, one of Wallace's floor managers, said the vice President would have 250 votes on the first ballot and would be a second ballot winner. A total of 589 votes will be required to nominate.

Amid all of this maneuvering, Barkley was scheduled to arrive today to put personal impetus into his own campaign. He will nominate Mr. Roosevelt for the Presidency and his friends were combining this fact with other circumstances to cite him as the logical second place candidate. They said that Barkley's record of having supported the anti-poll tax and anti-lynching bills made him more acceptable to northern city organizations which hope to keep the negro vote in camp, his century border state residence also was considered attractive.

**Urge Young Man**  
There was much talk that if the convention does not take Wallace it ought to nominate a comparatively young man for President to offset the accent put on youth by the Republicans with the choice of 42-year-old Thomas E. Dewey as their standard bearer. Mr. Roosevelt is 62.

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SOMEWHERE IN ENGLAND—

Pvt. Leslie G. Grayson, 28, U. S. Army, has arrived safely overseas and is now serving Somewhere in England, according to a letter received by his wife, the former Miss Boodle Burney, 618 South Fourteenth street. Entering the service Nov. 29, 1943 he received his basic training at Camp Wheeler, Ga., going overseas June 1944. A graduate of the Streetman high school, Pvt. Grayson was employed at Galveston prior to entering the service. His mother, Mrs. L. G. Grayson and sister Dorothy, formerly of Streetman, now reside in Dallas. His wife is making her home with her father H. C. Burney.

Senator Scott Lucas of Illinois, Federal Circuit Judge Sherman Minton of Indiana, Senator Joseph C. O'Mahoney of Wyoming, Senator Jackson, Senator Claude Pepper of Florida, Gov. Robert S. Kerr of Oklahoma the keynote, and others listed among the hopefuls. Sharing interest with the vice Presidential race was a controversy between contesting delegations from Texas and south Carolina for convention seats. The National committee arranged for supporters to hear both sides of this argument late today for a decision that could have a great deal of bearing on talk of a possible bolt of Southern electors.

**"Regular" Texans**  
A "regular" Texas delegation, opposed by a pro-Roosevelt group, came bearing state-convention approved resolutions instructing one Star electors not to vote for the party's Presidential and vice Presidential nominees if they were not seated.

The South Carolina contest involved an all-white delegation prepared to instruct its electors later on their course—depending on what the convention does about restoring the two-thirds nominating rule, "white supremacy" and other issues—and opposed by a negro group that wants President Roosevelt for four or as many as ten terms.

There also was trouble from party leaders in Mississippi but one delegate from that state predicted that if Wallace is not renominated, the electors there will go along with the party choices. This was conditioned somewhat, however, on reports that leaders want to keep the platform so brief it may not touch at all on racial and other controversial domestic questions.

**No Two-Third Rule**  
CHICAGO, July 17.—(AP)—Senator Theodore Green of Rhode Island, chairman of the democratic national committee's subcommittee on allotment of delegates, said today his group would not recommend a return to the two-thirds majority rule on election of nominees, as proposed by some southern delegates. The senator said the group's report would recommend continuation of the present rule, through which nominees for president and vice-president are chosen by majority vote.

When the two-thirds rule was dropped it was replaced by an arrangement giving two extra delegates to each state that had gone democratic.

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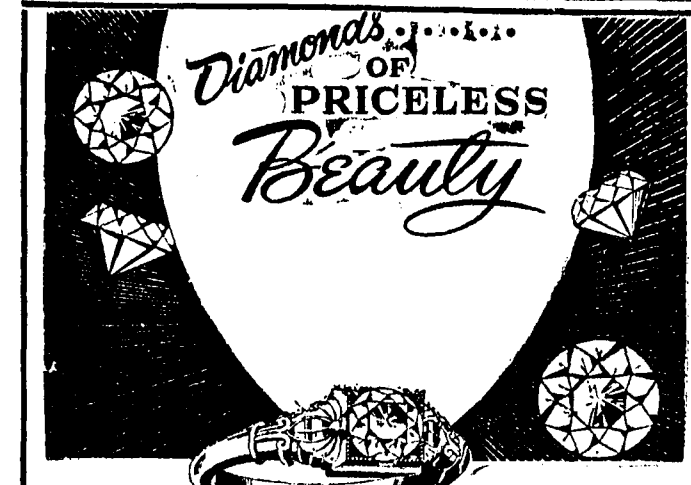
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## AERIAL

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can were put at 44 planes. More than 1,000 British-based U. S. heavy bombers attacked Munich, Snarbrucken and other vital targets in Germany yesterday while medium bombers blasted German positions holding up the Allied ground advance around St. Lo. Twelve of the heavy bombers and three fighters were lost to intense enemy flak.

American Marauders swept over the German battle lines in Normandy early last night, hitting a fuel dump south of Rennes, severing a four-span 1,000-foot railroad bridge at Nantes and bombing two more bridges in the Argentan area. Three German planes were downed in combat. Thunderbolts dive-bombed an airfield near Boue, just east of Paris, a bridge 10 miles southeast of Paris and the railroad yards at

Marles, 24 miles, southeast of Cratieu-Thierry.

**Targets Not Identified**  
The strategic air force did not name the specific targets hit in southern Germany yesterday because weather prevented an accurate assessment of damage. The region holds high priority targets. Marauder medium bombers struck in waves at ten minute intervals last night at Nazi installations in the Guerche forest near Rennes, 100 miles south of the front.

American Thunderbolts blew up an oil supply depot at Montereau. Thirty Spitfires, tangling with 50 Focke-Wulfs in the same area headed for the Allied front line, broke up the formation, shooting down five with a loss of two.

Weather boosted the battle front support operations in Normandy from a low of 500 Saturday to more than 1,500 yesterday. In addition, long range bombers and fighters

made about 1,500 more in the attack on Snarbrucken and Munich. At least ten German planes were shot down over France, as against five Allied, one Marauder and one Thunderbolt missing.

## FUNERAL SERVICES SAMUEL D. BURKE MONDAY AFTERNOON

Funeral services for Samuel D. Burke, age 62 years, who died at his home here Saturday morning, will be held Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the Sutherland McCammon Chapel, Rev. A. J. Meador conducted the rites and burial was in Post Oak cemetery. A native of Navarro county he

had resided in Corsicana and the county all his life.

Surviving are his wife, six sons, four daughters, two brothers, two sisters, 10 grandchildren and other relatives. One grandson, Charles H. Sprinkle whom he raised, is with the U. S. armed services in the South Pacific area.

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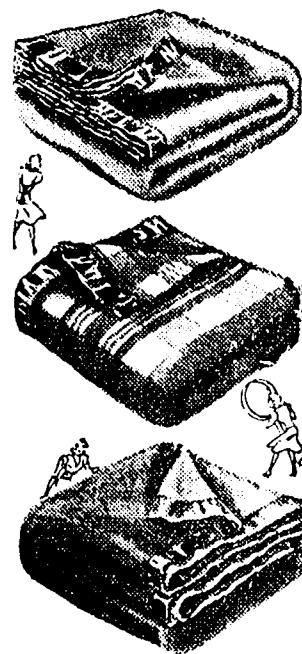
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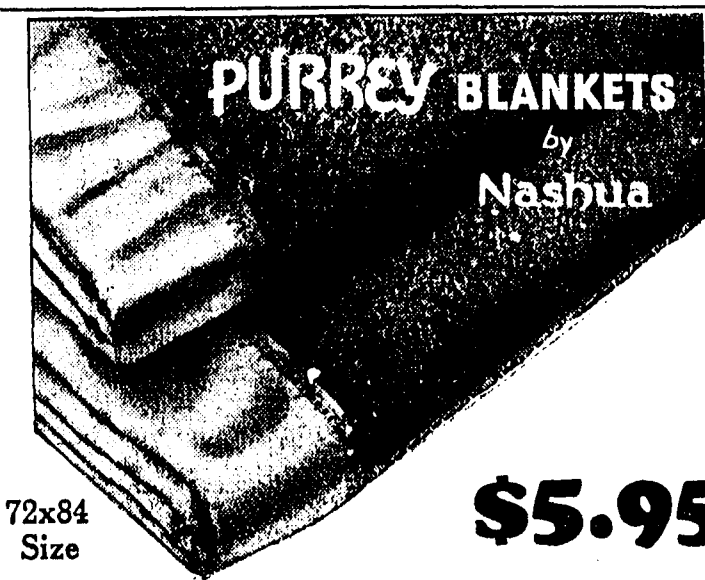
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REFERS TO TEXAS AS THE PROMISED LAND OF CHEMURGY

SOUTHEAST TEXAS-GULF COAST CHEMURGIC CONFERENCE IN SESSION

By BRACK CURRY  
HOUSTON, July 17.—(P)—Development of chemurgic industries in Texas is the nation to come to the fore, according to the opening address of the Southeast Texas-Gulf Coast Chemurgic Conference in session here today.

Victor H. Schoffelmeyer, chairman of the Texas chemurgic organization and agricultural editor of The Dallas Morning News in the opening address referred to Texas as "the promised land of chemurgy," stating that "Texas is the greatest raw materials state, is destined to play a leading part in the chemurgic industries which will be set up in the future and which will change our way of life for the better."

"Chemurgic industries of tomorrow will need huge quantities of the farmer's cellulose or lignin, or starch and sugar for a thousand and one chemical products, including plastics, clothing, chemical foodstuffs, paper, wood substitutes, laminates of metal which is a new era of building may be based."

Of all the states in the nation none fits more perfectly into the chemurgic picture than does Texas, Schoffelmeyer said, adding: "That is because Texas is the greatest raw materials producing state in the nation. x x x

"These raw materials will be with us long after our oil and gas wells and our mines have stopped producing. That is why chemurgy is so vital—it makes use of what the land can grow year in and year out."

I tell you that a ton of ordinary East Texas pine sawdust can be made into 1,100 gallons of table sugar as good as any you eat every day, and that from this same sugar scientists are making 50 to 60 balloons of ethyl alcohol, or that the same sawdust can be converted through bacterial action into edible yeast, which you livestock can eat when you begin to see what chemurgy offers," he stated.

Tung oil, which we import at the rate of 200,000,000 pounds a year from the Far East, can be grown in Deep East Texas, Schoffelmeyer said, adding that the Gulf Coast should be an important tung oil producer.

"We need crops like soybeans. In Texas to replace the cotton on 10,000,000 acres which went out of production when the federal government placed restrictions on our acreage and production," he asserted.

"We can grow castor beans in large volume in the Lower Rio Grande Valley and all over the Gulf Coast. The beans will grow well all over the backland areas of Texas. We need to grow sunflowers and safflowers, garola and chile and many other new crops which are now being tested out at Southern Methodist University's Institute of Technology and Plant Industry."

Other speakers today will include Dr. A. B. Conner, director of the Texas agricultural experiment station; J. B. Grantham, chief, division of forest products research, Texas forest service; Loukin, and Dr. Joseph L. Franklin of Humble Oil & Refining Co.'s Baytown refinery.

To The Voters Of Navarro County

Dear Friends: I am asking you for your vote and influence in the Democratic primary July 22. I do so on my own merits. I have lived in Corsicana and Navarro county 25 years. I am 62 years old and have been totally blind for the past 12 years. Since I lost my eyes I have had a very hard time trying to make a living. It has been a custom for a long time for the voters of Navarro county to give the office of county treasurer to some needy person. A state law forbids the abolishment of this office. There is no kind of manual labor that I can get to do to make a living. When you lose your eyesight you have almost lost everything that is worth living for. I know that it will be impossible to ever see again on this earth, but I would gladly give both my legs and one hand for just one good eye. All in this world that I am asking for is that you help me to help myself by giving me a chance to work at something that I can do. My friends believe that I am entitled to a second term to this office of Treasurer of Navarro County. I am not physically able and have no way to get around to see you all. I know that you understand my physical and financial condition and I am willing to leave my fate in your hands. Assuring you that both my wife and I shall ever be grateful to each of you for your careful consideration in my behalf, I am,

JOE E. DANIEL,  
Candidate for County Treasurer.  
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German Flying Bombs Strike At England Monday

LONDON, July 17.—(P)—The Germans struck at London and the southern counties with their flying bombs again early this morning, adding to the casualties and damage caused by indiscriminate robot attacks on the same areas yesterday and a day night.

Press dispatches from Sweden meanwhile quoted the newspaper Stockholm Tidningen as saying the Germans were concentrating in Denmark large numbers of robot bombs weighing as much as 10 tons and capable of travelling through the stratosphere as far as New York.

Military experts here were somewhat skeptical of the Swedish report, the source of which was not disclosed, although one said it was well established that the Germans had been experimenting with robots capable of traversing a much greater distance than those they have been employing against Britain.

It was noted that Stockholm papers frequently have been an outlet for propaganda stories about secret weapons which the Germans have planted with sources accessible to Swedish reporters.

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terattack and were holding to their positions.

It was the first indication from an allied source that the Germans still were fighting for possession of Poggibonsi, although the nazis twice had claimed recapture of the road junction town since it first was entered by the French on Bastille day.

Heaviest Nazi Attack.  
The heaviest German counterattack came in the Era valley at Campagnoli, the point of the deepest American penetration. Under cover of night the nazis struck with a considerable force, rolling the doughboys back a "few hundred yards," a spokesman said.

Later in the night the Americans lashed out again with equal fury and retook the lost ground. German tanks which had been withdrawn from active fighting in many sectors recently were thrown back into this battle.

The nazis also used tanks against the American troops on the slopes of Monte Magliora, but failed to halt the conquest of that high ground from which Livorno's port is in easy gun range.

Deep inland Lorenzana, 11 miles from the coast, fell to our Fifth army troops who pushed on within a half mile of Crispina, which is 12 miles east and a little north of Livorno.

On Eighth Army Front.  
On the Eighth army front, German defense difficulties grew and losses mounted with the British capture of the key communications center of Arezzo.

Charging on, the British fanned out north and west of Arezzo toward the Gothic line.

By yesterday afternoon Lt. Gen. Sir Oliver Leese's forward elements were three miles north and west of the town, but were meeting some opposition.

"The Germans now have established an organized line of resistance three to four miles south of the Arno river and artillery fire, which was lighter during the previous 24 hours, came again to their support," an official spokesman said of the situation on the Fifth army front. He added:

Enemy Manpower Shortage.  
"Evidence of the enemy's growing manpower shortage was obvious from the capture of a prisoner from the Ninth Panzer Grenadier regiment who was found to have a badly deformed right arm. The prisoner said that he and others formerly considered unfit for front line duty were reclassified last February and sent to the front."

The enemy's difficulty in supplying the battlefield and strengthening the Gothic line increased as American medium and light bombers continued the methodical destruction of road and rail communications in the Po valley.

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DECORATED—First Lieut. William Croft, Jr., 24, U. S. Army Air Forces, B-24 pilot, has completed in excess of 35 missions over enemy occupied continental Europe and has been decorated with the Distinguished Flying Cross and Air Medal with Oak Leaf Clusters, according to a letter dated July 8, from Somewhere in England, received by his mother, Mrs. Alma Croft, 329 South Thirty-first street. He has been overseas since January 1, 1944. A 1939 graduate of the Corsicana high school, Lieut. Croft received his wings at Williams Field, Ariz., January 4, 1943.

RAINEY STATEMENTS QUESTIONED BY DEAN OF MEDICAL SCHOOL

GALVESTON, July 17.—(P)—Statements of Dr. Homer P. Rainey, president of the University of Texas, medical branch which Dr. Rainey recommended to be moved to Austin, are contrary to facts, Dr. Chouney D. Leake, vice president and dean of the medical school asserted today.

Dr. Leake declared that the school of medicine is fully and completely approved for grade A standing by both the Association of American Medical Colleges and the Council of Medical Education and Hospitals of the American Medical Association.

Referring to statements Dr. Rainey made about the medical school, the Dental College at Houston and the John Sealy College of Nursing, Dr. Leake said:

"The statements made by the president that the schools are well regarded and that the school is contrary to fact and not conducive to the promotion of morale in these institutions."

Dr. Leake declared Dr. Rainey is apparently misinformed regarding the status of the institutions, citing approval given by national accrediting agencies.

He said the chief need is for hospital beds and that the offer of the Sealy and Smith Foundation to contribute \$1,500,000 for a general hospital here will meet that need.

He asserted the value of state facilities here, which Dr. Rainey placed at slightly in excess of \$1,000,000 were carried on the books of the university as of June 30, 1944, at \$4,463,346.64. He added that these did not include the State Psychopathic Hospital nor the recent gift of Mr. and Mrs. Maco Stewart for a convalescent home for children.

Air Force heavy bombers raided an enemy airdrome and other military targets in the Vienna area yesterday. The heavy bombers spent nearly an hour over the target and saw smoke billowing 15,000 feet above Vienna's industrial district.

Over 100 enemy planes challenged the big bombers and 44 were destroyed. The allies lost 15 bombers and five other planes. RAF bombers last night blasted an oil refinery at Cmedere near Baghdad.

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Germans Marched Through Moscow—But As Prisoners

By EDDIE GILMORE  
MOSCOW, July 17.—(P)—The German army finally marched through Moscow today—as prisoners. Thousands upon thousands captured in the Red army offensive moved through the capital on foot while being transferred from rail stations on their long way back to the east. In all, 57,600 trudged wearily through the streets.

More than a million Muscovites lined the streets and watched the Germans, without displaying emotion. There was no booing, no catcalls, no shouts.

The prisoners poured in from all stations handling traffic to the north, northwest and southwest of the city.

They marched orderly from cars to platforms and then cavalierly headed the Germans into the city streets.

Two German Generals were in the first group which included all officers.

NEW JERSEY WOMAN HAS ARM BITTEN OFF BY MALE POLAR BEAR

NEW YORK, July 17.—(P)—The right arm of Miss Catherine Searies, 24, of Rahway, N. J., was bitten off today by "Soc," a male polar bear at the Central Park zoo, after police said the animal had been awakened in its cage at 2 a. m.

The girl, equestrienne and daughter of Henry Malcolm Searies, zinc manufacturer, was taken to Roosevelt Hospital for emergency surgery and was reported in a critical condition.

Police of the arsenal station said Miss Searies and three companions went to the zoo early today. In the party were Miss Gertrude Brady, daughter of New York City Auctioneer Henry Brady; Corp. Edward Cheney of Manchester, Conn., and William Chick of Boston, Mass.

They stopped in front of the open air cage in which "Soc" and a female polar bear, "Con," were asleep.

Police gave this version of the subsequent events: When this failed they held lighted newspaper at his snout. "Soc" released his grip. The men carried the girl to a nearby building and called police.

The bear, in retreating from the lighted newspaper, which Miss Searies' arm lay near the elbow. Later physicians amputated the remainder of the arm just below the shoulder. She was given a chance to recover by Roosevelt Hospital authorities.

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UNITED NATIONS' MONETARY MEETING EXTENDED 3 DAYS

CONFERENCE EXPECTED TO REACH SUBSTANTIAL AGREEMENT WEDNESDAY

BRETTON WOODS, N. H., July 17.—(P)—The United Nations monetary conference today was extended three days beyond its originally scheduled closing date to permit the vast amount of technical work to be completed without pressure.

An official statement emphasized that the conference would reach agreement "on all matters of substance" by Wednesday, the closing date first fixed, but the final plenary session moved back to Saturday.

The sessions here already have brought agreement on plans for an \$8,800,000,000 postwar "prosperity fund."

Yet to come out of the parley's last two working days is an agreement to recommend a \$100,000,000 world bank to make available loans for rebuilding and developing the 44 countries represented here. In the words of an official conference spokesman, however, that project presents "many technical problems" than the proposed monetary fund entails.

Charted as a means of stabilizing and making available the various world monies needed to carry on foreign trade, the fund's "birth" was hailed by treasury secretary Morgenthau as a sign the cooperation expected at the peace table.

Into the giant postwar "kitty," still awaiting ratification by each government, the United States would put \$2,750,000,000, Great Britain \$1,300,000,000, Russia \$1,200,000,000, China \$550,000,000 and France \$450,000,000. The amounts for other nations taper down to \$500,000 each for Liberia and Panama.

The reservations, declared by a high source to be causing no concern, were entered by Russia, China, Egypt, France, India and New Zealand. Russia objected to a provision required her to contribute the same proportion of gold as countries not devastated by the war. The other five all wanted larger quotas.

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Anti-Aircraft Gun Used Against Troops

ROME, July 17.—(P)—An American 90-mm. anti-aircraft gun, which hurls explosive shells at terrific velocity, is being used against enemy troops in Italy with devastating effect, and has proved an ideal dual purpose weapon, the Allied command said today.

This highly mobile weapon, which can be fired at distant targets in much the same fashion as a sniper's rifle, is an adequate American answer to the Nazis' famed 88 mm. gun.

German prisoners told graphically of the terrible effects of its shells on the enemy troops.

An official source reported the 90-mm. gun, which is called the "Baby Long Tom," because it is a fit companion for the 155 mm. rifle known as the "Long Tom," has been used as a ground weapon since Cassino.

JAP COMMENTATOR PROPAGANDA REPORT TOLD OF EXECUTIONS

MELBOURNE, Australia, July 17.—(P)—A "known irresponsible Singapore commentator" was making a propaganda talk, not a news report, Saturday when his remarks were interpreted abroad as hinting the execution of captured airmen from the June 15 B-29 raid on Japan.

This was reported yesterday by Australian information department monitors who heard the broadcast clearly.

The commentator said that many of those who participated in the Kuyushu raids "met the same fate as those who came to raid Tokyo two years ago." He did not specifically state they were executed.

His phrase was interpreted to mean here the fliers were killed in crashes. This conclusion apparently was emphasized, said the Australian Information Bureau, by the next sentence of the Singapore broadcast—"Even those who bail out over Japan will be executed."

Japanese sources last year said some of Gen. James Doolittle's fliers had been executed. Tokyo headquarters announced that captured allied fliers would be tried by a military court, if suspected of violating any international law in raids on Japan or Japanese-held territory. Execution would follow conviction.

The Singapore broadcaster apparently was referring to this pronouncement, said Australian information analysts, rather than any new execution.

Lions Meet Tuesday

The Lions Club will meet in regular session Tuesday noon at the Navarro hotel. The program committee for Tuesday's meeting is composed of L. B. Dawson and L. V. Majors.

SCUFFLE REPORTED BETWEEN WALLACE AND PHOTOGRAPHER

WASHINGTON, July 17.—(P)—A reported scuffle between Vice President Wallace and a news photographer over a picture snapped at the Wardman Park Hotel has been "amicably adjusted" between the principals, a spokesman for the White House news photographers' association said today.

Wallace was not available for a statement and his office said "no comment" in response to inquiries about the matter.

Arthur E. Scott, president of the photographers' association, said the association had looked into the incident and found it to be "regrettable, but now amicably adjusted."

"No further action is planned," Scott said.

The incident, on last Thursday, involved a photographer for Acme News Pictures, Inc., Scott added. Acme's Washington office declined comment.

The Washington Star said it had learned that the photographer was Robert Woodsum of Acme's staff and that the circumstances were these:

"Woodsum had been assigned to get a picture of the vice president in view of the forthcoming Democratic convention and his recent trip to China. The photographer was asked by his office to try for pictures of the vice president playing tennis."

"After waiting several hours, Mr. Woodsum spied the vice president in the lobby and took a single shot." Mr. Wallace objected to the picture and insisted that it be withdrawn. Mr. Woodsum remained firm, and a "tussle" followed during which both men fell to the floor.

"They quickly rose to their feet, however, and came to an amicable agreement whereby the vice president promised to pose for a variety of pictures if Mr. Woodsum would not use the 'sneak shot.' They included shots of Mr. Wallace playing tennis."

Evacuation Reported

NEW YORK, July 17.—(P)—The British radio said today the Nazis leader Alfred Rosenberg "had been put in charge of the immediate evacuation of a part of east Prussia. For the time being the evacuation will be limited to the region east of the railroad from Tulsit to Insterburg."

For County Clerk

The present restricted traveling conditions has made it impossible for me to see each of you personally and solicit your vote.

Due to some misunderstanding that might exist as to the time my opponent has held this office, I wish to submit the following information:

In January of 1940 she secured this office for her first term by appointment by the Commissioner's Court upon the death of my sister, Lyda Reed.

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Your vote on July 22nd will be greatly Appreciated.

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